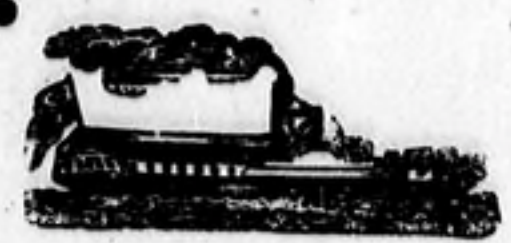




ENROLLMENT.

W. C. Dix



DISTRICT OF BUFFALO CREEK, }
PORT OF BUFFALO CREEK.

IN CONFORMITY TO

An act of Congress of the United States of America, entitled "an Act for Enrolling and Licensing Ships and Vessels," &c. passed the 18th February, 1793, and "an Act to regulate the Foreign and Coasting Trade on the Northern, Northeastern and Northwestern Frontiers of the United States, and for other purposes," passed the 2d March, 1831, and "an Act to provide for the better security of the lives of passengers on board of vessels propelled in whole or in part by steam," passed 7th July, 1838.

William R. L. Ward of Buffalo Erie Co. New York,
having taken or subscribed the Oath required by the said Acts, and having sworn that he together with *Augustus Cleason of New York City and Lewis L. Brant of Albany New York being*

CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES sole owners of the Lake Boat _____ or Vessel called the *Niagara Mills of Buffalo* whereof *W. R. L. Ward* is at present Master; and, as he hath sworn _____ is a Citizen of the United States, and that the said Ship or Vessel was built at *Buffalo New York* in the year *1811* as appears by the Certificate of *W. A. Van Slyke* Shipwright and the Certificate of *Elizah F. Hardy* Surveyor of the Port of *New York* filed in this Office this day.

And the said *Ward* and Certificate _____ having certified that the said Lake Boat or vessel has one deck _____ and no Mast _____ and that her length is *Seventy seven feet and six inches* _____ 77 ft 6 in her breadth *Fourteen feet and five inches* _____ 14 " 5 " her depth *Five feet and six inches* _____ 5 " 6 " and that she measures *Fifty seven* _____ tons *Forty four* _____ ninety-fifths: that she is a Lake Boat _____ has no gallies _____ and no figure _____ head.

And the said *William R. L. Ward* _____ having agreed to the description and admeasurement above specified, and sufficient security having been given in conformity with the terms of the said acts, the said Lake Boat _____ has been duly enrolled at the Port of Buffalo Creek.

W. C. Dix

Given under my Hand and Seal of Office, at the Port of Buffalo Creek in the said District, this *thirtieth* day of *March* in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-*six*

Franklin H. Murphy
Deputy Collector

ENROLLMENT

DISTRICT OF BUFFALO CREEK

*District of Buffalo Creek
Port of Buffalo*

*Summed at the Port of Buffalo VI. April 1847
and as per original
Signed *John W. Kaufman*
Notary*